

#### This Waist \$1.48

It's one of a half dozen models we are offering at that price in the popular tailored wasts. It is made of good quality material, excellent workmanship and comes in a complete range of sizes.

#### All Linen Tailored Waists

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#### Messaline Silk Waists

elegantly trimmed and in a complete line of colors at

## \$3.98 and Up White Lawn Waists

in all the the newest lace and ombroidery trimmed designs both long and short sleevs at

50c to \$5.00

## A Superb Showing of the Best Styles for the Spring of 1909

Our Store as made a complete change in one short week. Hardly a trace of winter now remains. The entire store is resplendent with the most complete assemblege of exquisite new styles that a knowledge of merchandise, weeks spent in the largest markets in the country and ready cash could procure. Every department is a style show-and each is seemingly trying to out do the other, both in variety and in values.



# Spring Styles in Trimmed Hats Are Now Ready

'Castle'

New York

More than 3000 beautiful new models, even now, ready for you to make your selection from just received by express from two New York makers who are recognized as leading fashion

authorities throughout the east

We've planned great things for our Millinery Department this season. We are going to show the grandest assortment of Hats evershown in an Oklahoma town three times the size of Vinita-More hats than were ever shown in all the other Vinita millinery shops together. This may sound like stretching the truth but when we tell you that the immense showing already in represents little more than a third of our New York purchases you can begin to realize with what energy we are "going after" the millinery business in northesatern Oklahoma. We're going to do more than show an unusually large stock of the most stylish Trimmed Hats procurable; we're going to sell millinery at department store prices. We bouget our hats in immense quantities from New York manufacturers who make hats for the Kansas City and St. Louis Wholesale Millinery Houses. We bought at a price that will enable us to "reorganize" Millinery prices in Vinita. We can sell you a hat for \$3.50 that would have cost you \$5,00 last season, \$2.50 for \$3.50 values and so on in all other grades. You will hear lots from our big Millinery department this season

#### Every New Weave In Dress Goods and Silks.

For the Spring of 1909'

Our spring showing of Suitings, Silks and Wash Fabrics will undoubtly command the greatest interest not only occause it offers by far the greatest variety to select from but from the fact that its a line of values through and through.

We Invite your Inspection of our Dress goods.

#### Everything New In Womens Oxfords.

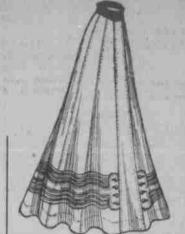
For The Spring of 1909.

Three standard makes to select from, Seiby's, Queen Quality's and Johnson Bros.—Patent Kids and Colts, Glazed Kids, Oxbloods, Champagne, and all shades of tan. A large showing of the popular "ankle ties."—The Price Range is \$2.00 to \$5.00.

The largest line in Vinita to Select From .

## Wayne Knit Hoisery

for men women and children. The Wayne Knitting Mills are the largest in America. Wayne Knit "Matchless" hosiery for men and women and "Poney" stockings for boys and girls are in our estimation, the best values possible to procure



#### This Skirt \$10.00

Made of the finest Chiffon Panama and excellently tailored

#### Light Stripes

Will be a very popular pattern in shirts for this spring and summers wear.

Agents 'Gage'

Hats

Chicago

We show quite a line of them \$10.00

#### Tailored Suits

For spring in ull the most favored styles and colors. The price range is -

\$12.50 to 35.00.

#### Rain Coats

of rubberized silk in a complete line of dolors-the newest spring styles at

\$10.00 to \$15.00.

#### Silk Petticoats

received by to-days express from N. Y. both solid and faucies and the greatest values we have ever boen able to offer you.

Priced at

\$3.98 to \$10.00.

#### Mentor Comfort Underwear

for men women and children. We're showing a complete assortment of Mentor Union suits and seperate garments for summer. They fit and do not stretch and get out of shape. They are comfortable and thoroughly right in every particular.



#### The Official Mind.

government requires 43.925 quarts of writing fluid (recent statistics) simply because when the government wants to tell a man-say, an examination candidate-to sit down at bis desk, it says not "Pray be seated." but "The candidate (or candidates) is (or are) requested and commanded to take (or adopt) his (or her) seat (or seats) at the table (or tables) with his (or her) pen (or pens) in his (or her) hand (or hands)."—The London Daily Mirror.

#### Whistling in English Streets.

In England whistling is very common among all classes, and, indeed, it is rare in London to see a butcher or a grocer boy on his daily errands whose lips are not pursed up for the purpose of emitting the whistling notes of the comic song of the hour. So prevalent is the habit that in hotels, and even in clubs, requests are posted up to "refrain from whistling."

#### Rooster as Scarecrow. Fred Small, on his farm in Swan-

ville, Me., has a successful method of scaring crows from his cornfield, having a bantam rooster in a wire cage. with nest attached, and, as everybody knows, the cockerel is an early riser and starts crowing at once, which keeps the crows from interfering with the corn

#### Newsboys of the City.

Herbert Copeland, who has been making a study of Boston newshoys, write of them in the Transcript. "The ordinary newsboy," he says, "does not earn so much as you think-25 cents a

#### All Gullty.

Relates the Christian Register: lawyer once asked a man who had at various times sat on several juries: "Who influenced you most-the lawyers, the witnesses or the judge?" He expected to get some useful and interesting information from so experienced a juryman. This was the man's reply: "I'll tell yer, sir, 'ow I makes up my mind. I'm a plain man, and a reasonin' man, and I ain't influenced by anything the lawyers say, nor by what the witnesses say, nor by what the judge says. I just looks at the man in the docks, and I says: 'If he ain't done nothing, why's he there?" And I brings 'em all in guilty,'

#### Couldn't See the Point

At a dinner a young lady sitting near the bishop of London said to

"Blahop, I wish you would set my mind at rest as to the similarity or dissimilarity between your country and ours on one point. Does the butterfly because the tomato can?"

The bishop laughed heartily at this vivacious sally. Not so a young Englishman of his party, who, after dinner, sought his host.

"I want to know, you know," said | he, "about that loke of Miss B -- 's She asked if the butter flew because the tomatoes could. Pray tell me what the point is."

#### Entitled to a Day Off.

Experience has proved that after 120,000 miles have been reeled-off a loomotive is entitled to a layoff and to hospital treatment. Steel will not stand the thunderous jar and vibration that shakes the 194 tons dead weight of a locomotive making 60 to 70 miles an hour. Figured at 60 miles an hour, even a locomotive must be 2,000 hours running to complete the mileage stunt. Then, no matter how clean her record of behavior, she must go in for an overhauling generally.

#### An improved dynamite for blasting has recently been put on the market which has a great advantage in that the freezing point of the nitroglycerin is lowered to 35 degrees Fahr.; moreover, when the temperature continues to sink still lower the new dynamite freezes with extreme slowness. When frozen it can be thawed with a small fraction of the time and expense of ordinary dynamites.

New and Improved Dynamite.

#### Uncle Allen.

"I see the government is going into the airship business," sald Uncle Allen Sparks. "Sooner or later the airship will get into politics, and then we'll machine politiciana."

#### Keep It Dark.

Some women will admit that they married a man to reform him, but mighty few will acknowledge that they made a mess of the job .- Washington

Big Leaves.
The leaf of the cocoanut tree is nearly 30 feet long; while a single leaf of the parasol magnolia of Ceylon will shelter 15 or 20 persons.

Could Easily Cover the Land. The mean height of all the land now as being 1,000 feet. The mean depth of the ocean is at least 12,000 foot



drunk.

MASTER RICE have machine politicians and flying as Buster, in the Buster Brown Co. Auditorium, Thursday, March 11th | mantic reasons,-Black and White.

#### Discovered What the Noise Was While returning from work at Blairs Mills, Franklin county, Pa., Barney Wise, hearing a noise in the creek below Harris' tannery, paid no attention, thinking it was a cow. The noise turned out to be a large bear and it came out of the bushes into the road about ten feet in front of Mr. Wise. Barney is a noted pedestrian, but that evening he broke his record and was home before his wife had supper ready. The bear continued on his

journey up Horse valley.

juice this season, snap beans are dry, lawns are scorched and unusually full of wild clover, which is killing the grass. On the other hand, this year's crop of Irish potatoes is the best we have had in ten years. Cauliflower is watery and insipid. Cabbages are porous, some actually spongy, Beets are as sweet as honey. A't these signs mean something. What? -New York Press.

The Majority Is Never Right? The majority is never right. Never, I say. This is one of those society lies which a free, thinking man must rebel against. Who are they that make up the majority of a country's inhabitants? Are they the wise or the ignorant? I believe that we must agree that the ignorant are overwhelmingly in the majority everywhere on the wide earth. But it is never right that the ignorant should rule over the intelligent - Henrik Ibsen.

Trout Catching Story from Florida. A peculiar catch was made near Canfield's mill yesterday. The end of a hay binding wire carelessly dropped into the San Sebastian river caught and held a big trout for hours. A commotion in the vicinity of the wire was noticed, but the wire was not pulled up for several hours, and then the trout was discovered securely impaled on the end .- St. Petersburg Independent.

### The Smug Fellow. "I don't see why Goodley should be

unpopular with you all. He never speaks ill of anyone." "No, but he's one of these very smug fellows who can say: 'Oh, yes! Jones seemed very happy when I saw him last,' and say it in such a way as to give the impression that Jones was borribly

#### Romantic British Wooers.

The Englishman, in his wooing, shows a reckless improvidence which would turn a Frenchman's hair gray. No concern of his is the important matter of a "dot;" he chooses-when he is true to himself-for purely ro-



Buster and Buster girls, Scene in Act II

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